Sanctuary Advisory Council Meeting

Monday, May 15, 2006 2:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Warren Hall, Earl Warren Showgrounds¹ 3400 Calle Real · Santa Barbara, CA

DRAFT AGENDA

2:00 PM 1. Administrative Business and Announcements

- A. Council Membership
 - Announcement of new representatives (Chumash Community alternate, Tourism alternate).
 (No Action Required)
 - Announcement of application period for vacant seats: Commercial fishing member, Research member, Public at-large member and alternate, Conservation alternate, and Tourism member (No Action Required)
- B. Comment on/Adoption of March 22, 2006 Draft Meeting Notes (Council Action Requested)
- C. Sanctuary Superintendent's Report (No Action Required)
- D. Brief Council Member announcements (No Action Required)

2:45 PM 2. Report on the SAC Chairs Annual Meeting (April 26-27, Washington DC)

 Comments from Chair Dianne Meester and Coordinator Mike Murray on the SAC Chairs annual meeting (No Action Required)

3:00 PM 3. Marine Reserves Management

A. Monitoring

- Comments and suggestions by Chris Hoeflinger regarding marine reserves monitoring.
 (This is a follow-up on discussions started at the last meeting).
- Council discussion and consideration of next steps

B. Awareness and Compliance

- Range Marker Installation: Continuation of Council discussion about the value of range markers for MPA boundary demarcation. Consideration of a letter drafted by Merit McCrea (<u>Possible Council Action</u>)
- 4:00 PM 4. Public Comment (1st of 2) (may be extended at the discretion of the Chair, and/or used as a break)

4:15 PM 5. Working Group Reports

Brief reports (~5-10 min.) from the Chairs of active SAC Working Groups (No Actions Requested)

- A. Conservation Working Group (Linda Krop)
- B. Recreational Fishing Working Group (Merit McCrea)
- C. Commercial Fishing Working Group (Chris Hoeflinger)
- D. Research Activities Panel (Bob Warner)
- E. Chumash Community Working Group (Paulette Cabugos)
- F. Sanctuary Education Team (Barbara LaCorte)
- G. Non-Consumptive Recreation seat (Outreach report by Warren Glaser)

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5:00 PM 6. Draft Management Plan Release (Part 1)

• An overview of the Draft Management Plan (Chris Mobley and staff). With this roll-out of the plan for Advisory Council members, a presentation will be given to explain various elements of the plan, including strategies within ten action plans. (No Council Action requested)

5:30 PM DINNER BREAK

6:30 PM Welcoming to the Evening Session

A welcoming to the evening portion of the SAC meeting

6:40 PM 7. Draft Management Plan Release (Part 2) (No Council Action requested)

- Continuation of overview of the Draft Management Plan (Chris Mobley and staff).
- Presentation on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement and proposed regulation changes
- Note: the draft management plan does not include proposals for marine reserve or marine conservation areas, nor is any boundary expansion proposed
- Discussion of next steps and Council roles for review and comment

8:15 PM 8. Public Comment (2nd of 2) (may be extended at the discretion of the Chair)

8:50 PM 9. Future SAC meeting schedule and agenda topics

- Schedule for future SAC meetings & related events:
 - o Tuesday June 27, Public Hearing on DMP/DEIS, 6:15-9:00pm, Four Points Sheraton, Ventura
 - o Thursday June 28, Public Hearing on DMP/DEIS, 6:15-9:00pm, Warren Hall, Earl Warren Showgrounds
 - o Friday, July 21, 2006: SAC Meeting, Ventura
 - o Friday, September 22, 2006: SAC Meeting, Santa Barbara
 - o Friday, November 17, 2006: SAC Meeting, Ventura

9:00 PM ADJOURN

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